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**BOX PCT**Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231PCT/JP99/05548  
-filed October 7, 1999Re: Application of Isumu SAITO, Yumi KANEGAE  
RECOMBINASE-EXPRESSING CELLS  
Our Ref: Q63988

Dear Sir:

The following documents and fees are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. § 371 and in accordance with Chapter II of the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

- ☐ an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ an English translation of the International Application.
- ☒ 4 sheets of drawings.
- ☐ an English translation of Article 19 claim amendments.
- ☐ an English translation of Article 34 amendments (annexes to the IPER).
- ☐ an executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form.
- ☒ a Statement to Support Filing and Submission in Accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825 with 2-page Sequence Listing and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing.
- ☒ a Form PTO-1449 listing the ISR references, an English translation of the International Search Report and a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement with references.
- ☒ a Preliminary Amendment

**The Declaration and Power of Attorney, will be submitted at a later date.**

It is assumed that copies of the International Application, the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by § 371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned can easily provide them upon request.

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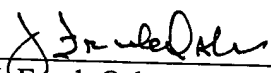
The Government filing fee is calculated, **after entry of the Preliminary Amendment**, as follows:

Total claims	<u>81</u> - 20 = <u>61</u>	x \$18.00 =	<u>\$1098.00</u>
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Base Fee			<u>\$860.00</u>
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee			<u>\$270.00</u>
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>			<u>\$2228.00</u>
<b>Recordation of Assignment</b>			<u>\$2228.00</u>
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>			<u>\$2228.00</u>

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$2228.00 is attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.492 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from October 12, 1998 based on Japanese Application No. 10-289785.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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